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SUBJ: NARCOTICS PROGRAM REF: A) AMMAN 49084 B) AMMAN 42121

## ANKARA FOR BRIGGS, BEIRUT FOR MCLEAN

- 1. NEA INTERAGENCY NARCOTICS WORKING GROUP BEGAN DISCUSSION OF PROPOSED NARCOTICS PROGRAM FOR JORDAN ON AUGUST 14. NEXT MEETING SCHEDULED FOR AUGUST 28.
- 2. FOR CONSIDERATION AT NEXT MEETING EMBASSY AND DEA REQUESTED TO PROVIDE MORE SPECIFICS ON NARCOTICS ACTIVITY IN JORDAN: A) COORDINATED ASSESSMENT OF PROBABLE DESTINATION OF HARD DRUGS AND HASH TRANSITING JORDAN (DOES ANY COME INTO USA?); B) SPECIFIC EVIDENCE THAT "SIZEABLE CONFIDENTIAL

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QUANTITIES OF OPIUM" ARE TRAVELING THROUGH JORDAN (REF B);

C) EXAMPLES OF TYPES OF USEFUL INFORMATION PROVIDED BY JORDANIAN NARCOTICS GROUP AND SPECIFICS ON INFORMATION COMING OUT OF SYRIA.

- 3. CONCERNING ITEM O MENTIONED REFTEL (A), AID HAS ESTABLISHED POLICY RESTRICTING AID WEAPON AND AMMUNITION PROVISION TO CUSTOMARY POLICE WEAPONS--I.E., SIDE ARMS, SHOTGUNS, AND NONTOXIC TEAR GAS. ALSO, ITEMS C, D, AND E MENTIONED REFTEL (A) APPEAR TO FALL IN CATEGORY OF SURVEILLANCE EQUIPMENT WHICH IS NOT BEING FURNISHED UNDER NARCOTICS CONTROL PROGRAM.
- 4. DEA HEADQUARTERS CONCURS. ROGERS

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